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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application for:

David J. SCHANZLIN, et al.

Serial No.: 08/993,696

Filing Date: December 18, 1997

For: RADIAL INTRASTROMAL  
CORNEAL INSERT AND A  
METHOD OF INSERTION

Examiner: D. Willse

Group Art Unit: 3738

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT  
APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES-SMALL ENTITY

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated May 25, 2001 that resulted in Applicant having claims that have been twice or finally rejected. The Notice of Appeal was originally due August 25, 2001. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a three-month extension of time making the Notice of Appeal due November 25, 2001. As November 25, 2001 is a Sunday, the period to respond is extended to November 26, 2001 under 37 C.F.R. §1.7. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is timely filed and the application is currently pending. Included please find the following:

- ☒ Appeal Fee:
- ☐ Large Entity Fee of \$320.00; or
- ☒ Small Entity Fee of \$160.00.
- ☒ Applicant(s) claim Small Entity Status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (three months)
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time Fee \$460.00
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